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AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by marked up replacement paragraph(s) as follows:

In prior systems, where duplicate calls were not a concern, DAP 16 would receive [23] a signal from Parking Manager 24, which would not contain DNIS O. D., and would map the 8xx into a DNIS value and these DNIS values are passed though switch 14 to IVR 26 which uses them to complete processing of the call. In accordance with the present invention DAP 16 uses DNIS O.D. to replace the normal, or base, DNIS, as will be described further below, and sends signal j including ANI, 8xx, the location of IVR 26, DNIS O.D. and NCID to switch 14. When switch 14 receives signal j it identifies call a and locates IVR 26 and sends signal k including ANI, DNIS O.D. to IVR 26. IVR 26 then maps DNIS O.D. back to dialed number 8xx, as will be described further below, and completes processing of call a. IVR 26 then sends signal n + m m including ANI, DNIS O.D., 8xx, together with a call identifier, sometimes referred to as a "Parking Platform ID"_(PPID), provided by IVR 26, to PM 24. PM 24 then establishes a mapping of PPID to NCID and releases the combination ANI, 8xx for further use. Thereafter, further signals from IVR 26 to Parking Manager 24 are identified by PPID and the map can be used to identify related signals n to Router 22 with the corresponding NCID, as will be described further below.